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Prof. J. Lederberg
Stanford University of Medicine
Department of Genetics
300 Pasteur Drive
California
U.S.A.

Dear Prof. Lederberg,

We are engaged at the moment in a study of the interconversion of seryl residues in proteins and peptides to dehydroalanyl, *residues*.

In this connection we would like to have a culture of the specific serine requiring mutant E. coli K₁₂ W-1977. If such a culture is available to you, I shall be most obliged if you will be so kind as to mail it to us at your convenience.

Thanking you in advance, and with kind personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Ephraim Katchalski

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